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Independent Claims	4	200.00	\$200.00
Multiple Dependent			
Large Entity	Small Entity		
Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee Description	
1202 50	2202 25	Claims in excess of 20	
1201 200	2201 100	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203 360	2203 180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid	
1204 790	2204 395	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205 300	2205 150	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.
2053 130	2053 130	Non-English specification
1251 120	2251 60	Extension for reply within first month
1252 450	2252 225	Extension for reply within second month
1253 1,020	2253 510	Extension for reply within third month
1254 1,590	2254 795	Extension for reply within fourth month
1255 2,160	2255 1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401 500	2401 250	Notice of Appeal
1402 500	2402 250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403 1,000	2403 500	Request for oral hearing
1451 1,510	2451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1460 130	2460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806 180	1806 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
1809 790	1809 395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 30, 2006, applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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